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Renewable Mercury Sorption*

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed June 25, 2003 for the above identified patent application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants are concurrently petitioning for a one-month extension of time with the submission of this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this Amendment.